

2007 Montana Two Spirit Gathering

Weekend Schedule

September 7- 9, 2007

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Friday, September 7th _____

- 1:00 pm *Arrival and Check-In*
- 2:00 ***Welcome, Opening Ceremony, Introductions & Lighting of Sacred Fire***
- 3:00 ***Two Spirit Elders & Youth Panel***
- 6:00 *Catered Meal & Blessing*
- 7:30 ***Talent Show & An Evening of Fun***
- 8:30 ***No-Talent & Drag Show***
- 10:30 *Closing Ceremony*

Saturday, September 8th _____

- 8:30am *Breakfast & Blessing*
- 9:30 *Opening Ceremony*
- Welcome, Overview & Introductions***
- 10:00 ***Two Spirit History - John Hawk Cocke***
- 11:00 ***Decolonization in the Two Spirit Community – Raven Heavy Runner***
- 12:00 *Lunch Hosted By Wedding Party*
- 1:30 pm ***Small Group Work - Session #1***
Two Spirit Women's Sexual Health – Mija Howlett
San Francisco Native American Report – Holy Old Man Bull
Sexual Health for Two Spirit Men – David, Steven & John
Overcoming Trauma & Grief (Part I) – Matt DeRouche's Mom
- 2:30 ***BREAK (Time for Reflection, Relaxation or Rapid HIV Testing)***
- 3:00 ***Small Group Work - Session #2***
Living Positively – Antonio Rodriguez, Wichita Two Spirit Society
Native Two Spirit Media Resources
Overcoming Trauma & Grief (Part II) – Matt DeRouche's Mom
Impact of Alcohol & Drugs on Two Spirit Communities
- 4:00 *Richard Lime Wedding Ceremony*
- 5:30 *Catered Meal Hosted By Wedding Party*
- 6:30 ***Group Picture***
- 7:00 ***Pow-Wow & Evening of Culture & Dance***
- 10:30 *Closing Ceremony*

Sunday, September 9th _____

8:30 am *Breakfast Blessing*

10:00 *Opening Ceremony*

10:15 *MT Two Spirit Society Meeting & Planning*

11:15 *Community Give-Away & Closing Ceremony and Blessing*

12:00 *Evaluations & Lunch*

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